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Dear Mr President:

I am concerned about military adventures. You are stuck in this job for three more weeks and judging by hints from NY prosecutors face a chance of jail or exile thereafter. I worry about desperate moves in your dwindling relevance. Last week you upended major legislation, scared off your syncophantic AG and took to maligning Republican leaders landing your coverage on about page two. More frighteningly you have been saber rattling with Iran again with a warning bomber flight, increased submarine and ship activity and explicitly linking American losses in the proxy war in Iraq to possible attacks in Iran.

Please assure me that you will leave military action to President Biden.

I am very proud to be a US resident and a large part of that derives from our prudence.

Sincerely, Eric Babson